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Signed: Claudia Galik  
Claudia Galik

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

GREGORY W. GALE et al.

Serial No. 09/955,761

Filed: September 18, 2001

For: *Molded Pulp Product and Apparatus  
and Method for Producing the Same*

Group Art Unit: 1731

Examiner: HUG, ERIC J

Atty Docket No. A-69853`ENB

Date: April 15, 2003

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is:

☒ Amendment;

The fees have been calculated as shown below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Minus	Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	OR	Other than a Small Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	25	-	27	0	x 9 = \$		x 18 = \$
Indep Claims	5	-	3	2	x 42 = \$84		x 84 = \$
	[ ] Multiple Dependent Claim Presented and Fee not Previously Paid				+140 = \$		+280 = \$
					<b>TOTAL \$84</b>		<b>TOTAL \$ -0-</b>

Total Additional Claims Fee:

\$ 84.00

[ ] Applicant hereby petitions for a \_\_\_\_ month Extension of Time to respond to the Official Action mailed \_\_\_\_\_ and includes the following fee:

- ☐ Applicant hereby petitions for a \_\_\_\_ month Extension of Time to respond to the Official Action mailed \_\_\_\_\_ and includes the following fee:

	<u>Small Entity</u>		<u>Large Entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	One month \$ 55.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	One month \$ 110.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two months \$205.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	Two months \$ 410.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Three months \$465.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	Three months \$ 930.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four months \$725.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	Four months \$ 1,450.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Five months \$985.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	Five months \$ 1,970.00

Extension of Time Fee: \$ 0.00

- ☐ Fee regarding Information Disclosure Statement:  
☐ Fee Under 37 CFR 1.17(p) \$  
☐ Petition Fee Under 37 CFR 1.17(i) \$

Information Disclosure Statement Fee: \$ 0

- ☐ Other fees (list individually):  
Terminal Disclaimer Fee Under 37 CFR 1.20(d) \$110.00 each, total of \$ 0

**Total Other Fees:** \$ 04.00

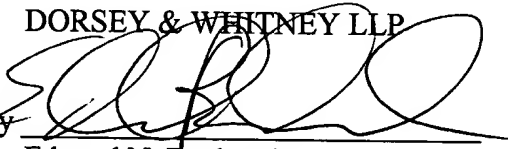
**TOTAL FEES:** \$ 84.00

- ☒ A check including the amount of the above indicated TOTAL FEES is attached.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2319 in the amount of \$  
☐ No fee is required.  
☐ Applicant is now a \_\_\_\_\_ entity.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment of the fees associated with this communication under 37 C.F.R. §1.20(d), including any necessary fees for extension of time, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2319: (Order No. A-69853/ENB(467171-62)).

Respectfully submitted,

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
Washington DC 20231

Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action of January 15, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.

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